Mr. Price asked the members of the Board to authorize the Company and/or its officers to file a comprehensive Listing Application with the American Stock Exchange, and list for issuance 2,500 shares of Common Stock that have been granted to Adolfo Herrera, a pool of shares sufficient in number to be available for matching employees' 401(K) plan contributions for the next two years, and a pool of shares to be used in the future as awards to employees as stock based compensation. After discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

RESOLVED, that the officers of the Company are hereby authorized to file a Listing Application with the American Stock Exchange listing the 2,500 shares of Common Stock that have been granted to Adolfo Herrera, a pool of shares sufficient in number to be available for matching employees' 401(K) plan contributions for the next two years, and a pool of shares to be used in the future as awards to employees as stock based compensation for issuance and to take any and all action required to carry out the intent of this resolution.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned.

Michael D. Price, Secretary

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# BENTLEY PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS BUDGET FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

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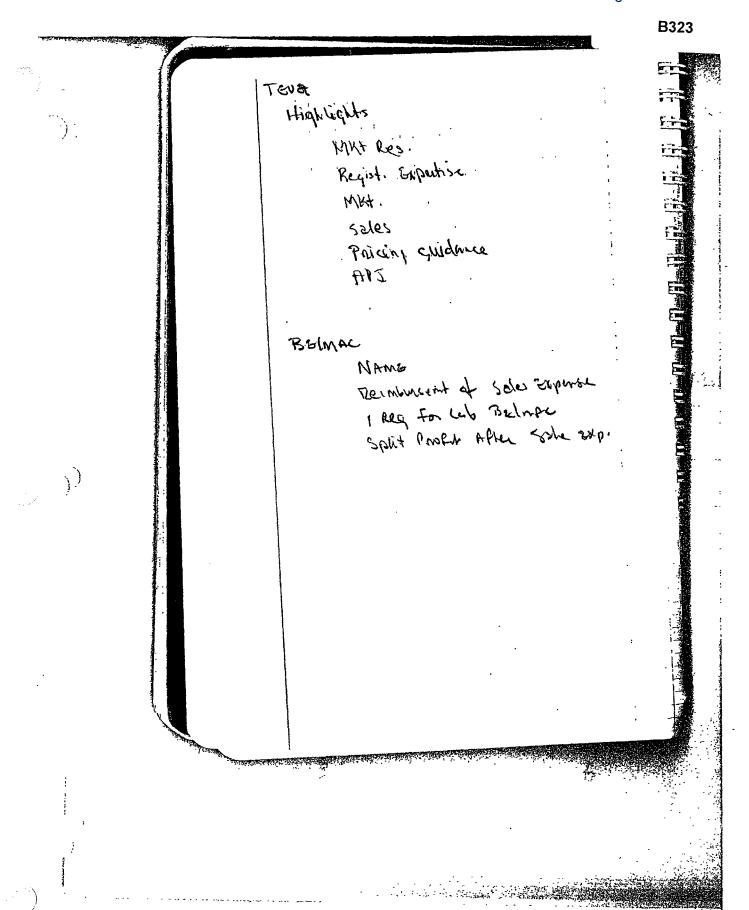
| In (000's) US\$                     | Qtr 1<br>2000 | Qtr 2<br>2000 | Qtr 3<br>2000 | Qtr 4<br>2000 | Total  |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| Sales                               | 5,938         | 6,778         | 7,001         | 8,309         | 28,025 |
| Cost of sales                       | 2,305         | 2,592         | 2,678         | 3,207         | 10,782 |
| Gross margin                        | 3,633         | 4,185         | 4,323         | 5,102         | 17,243 |
| Operating expenses:                 |               |               |               |               |        |
| Selling, general and administrative | 2,728         | 2,890         | 2,899         | 3,377         | 11,894 |
| Research and development            | 277           | 266           | 260           | 254           | 1,057  |
| Depreciation and amortization       | 171           | 177           | 180           | 181           | 708    |
| Total operating expenses            | 3,177         | 3,332         | 3,339         | 3,812         | 13,659 |
| Income from operations              | 457           | 853           | 984           | 1,291         | 3,584  |
| Other (income) expenses:            | ı <del></del> |               |               |               | ·      |
| Interest (income)                   | (86)          | (79)          | (67)          | (56)          | (288)  |
| Interest expense                    | 314           | 316           | 318           | 320           | 1,267  |
| Other (income)                      | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | . 0    |
| Currency (gain) loss                | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0      |
| Total other (income) expense        | 228           | 237           | 250           | 264           | 979    |
| Net income before taxes             | 229           | 616           | 734           | 1,027         | 2,605  |
| Income tax provision                | 223           | 303           | 320           | 379           | 1,225  |
| Net income                          | 6             | 313           | 413           | 648           | I,380  |
| Year to date net income             | 6             | 319           | 732           | 1,380         | 1,380  |

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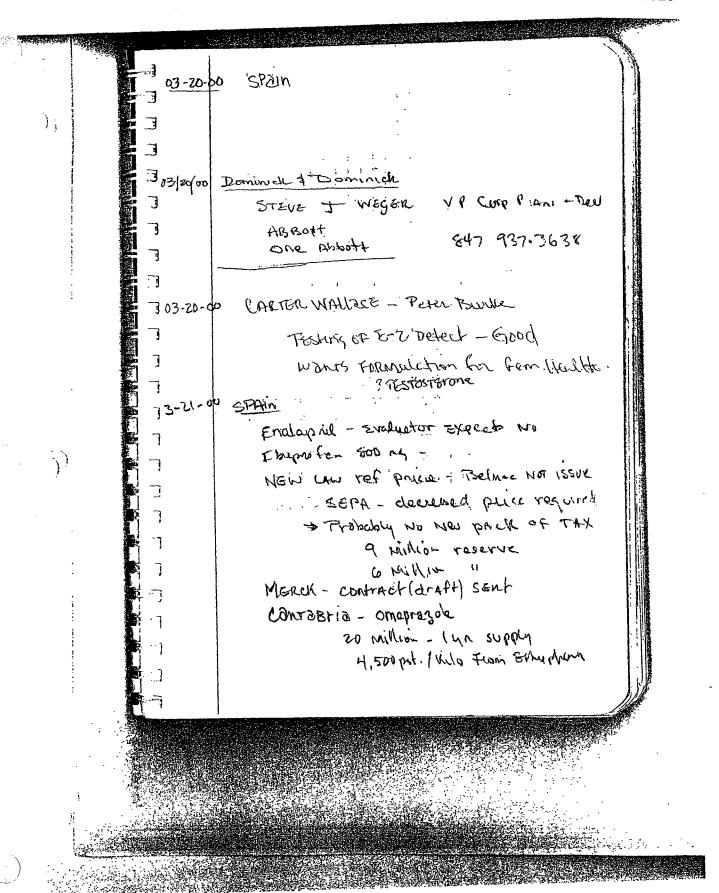
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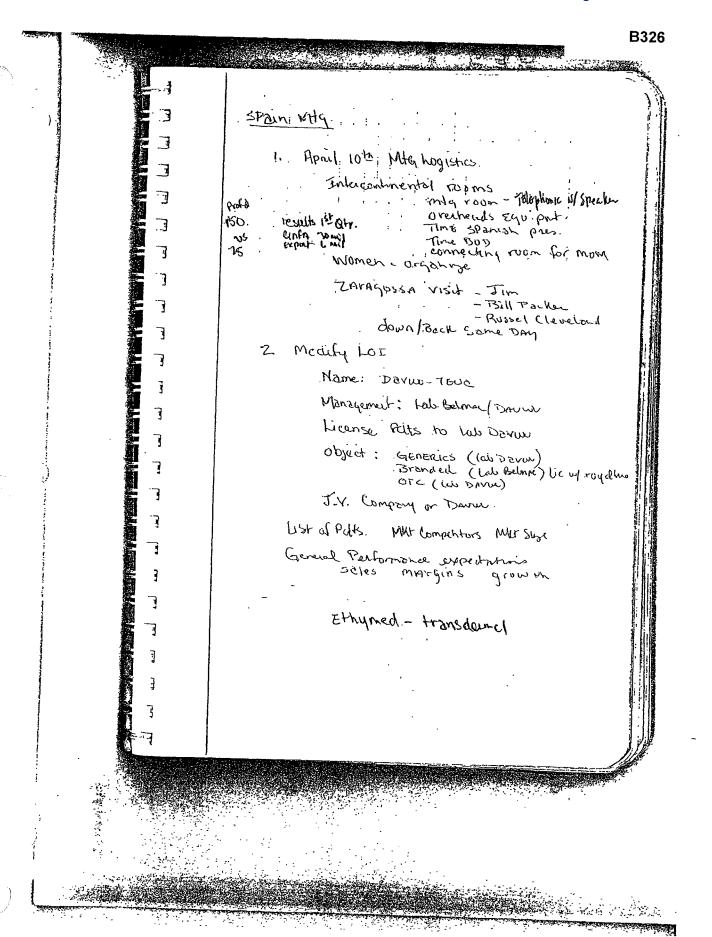
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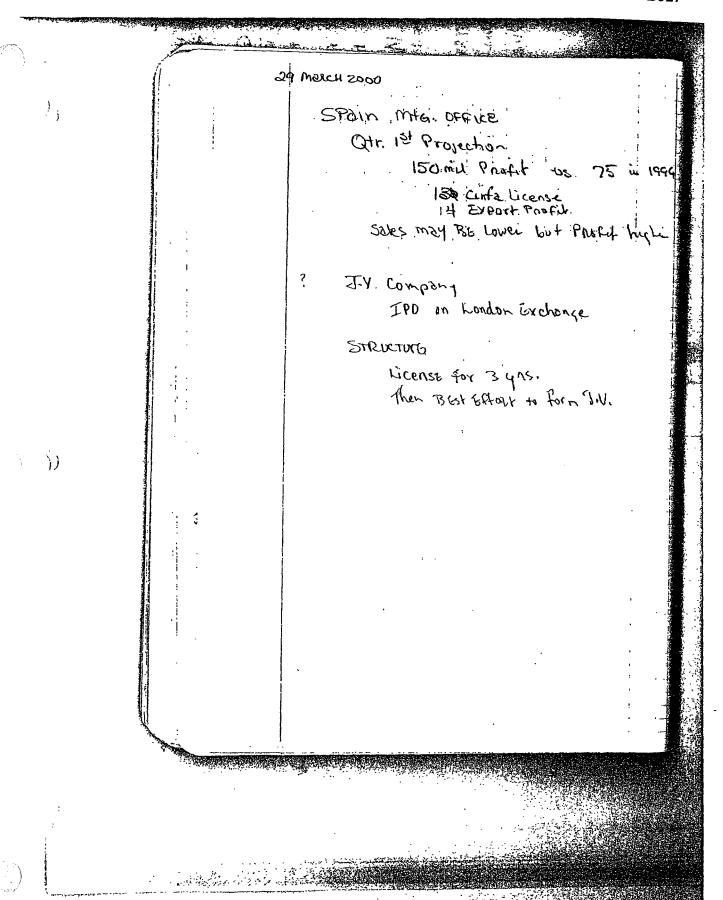
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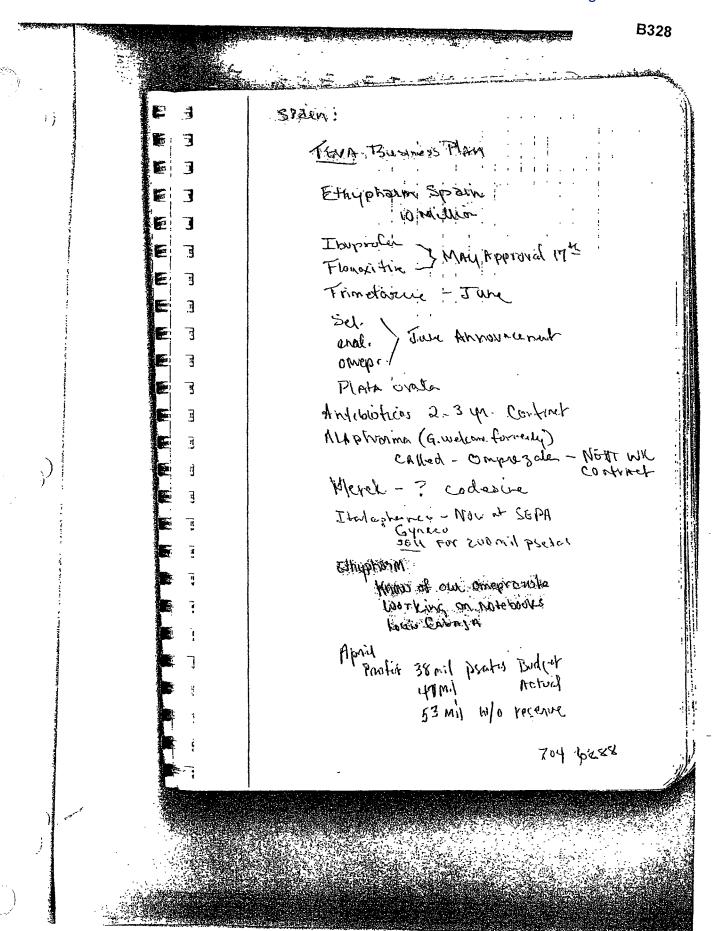


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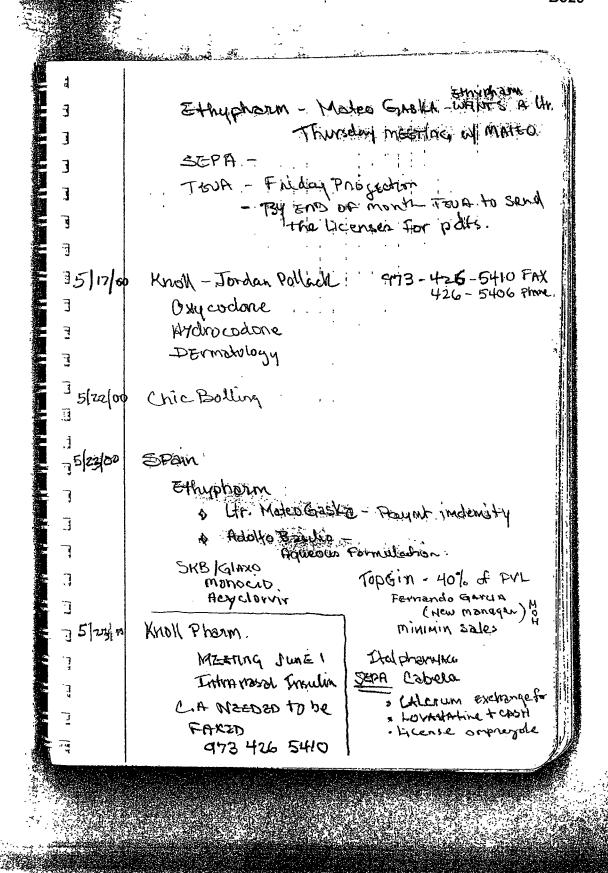


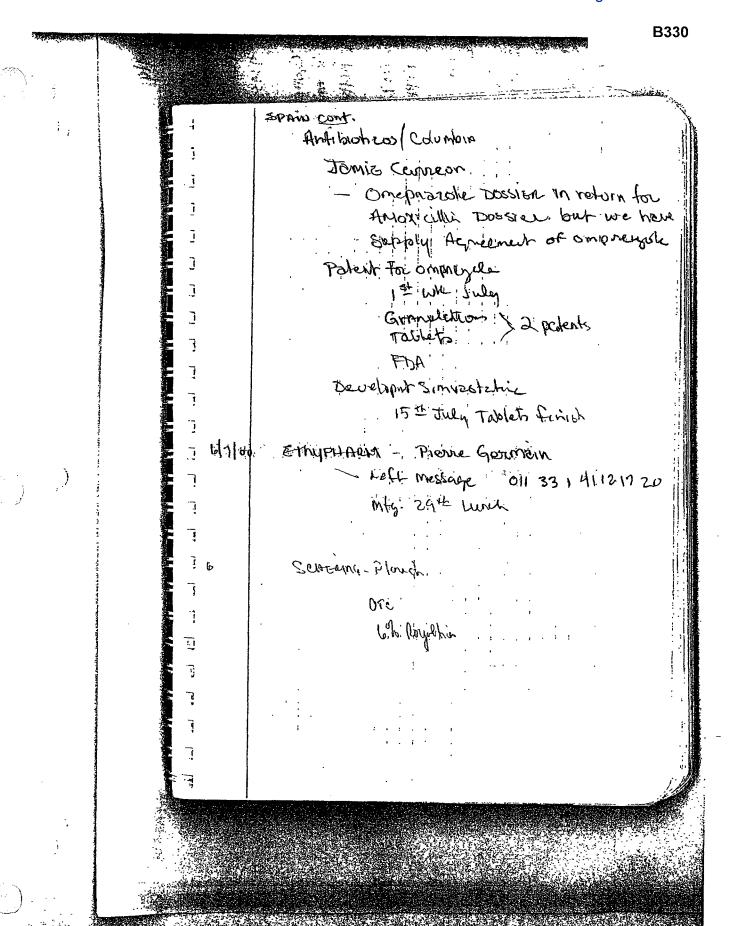


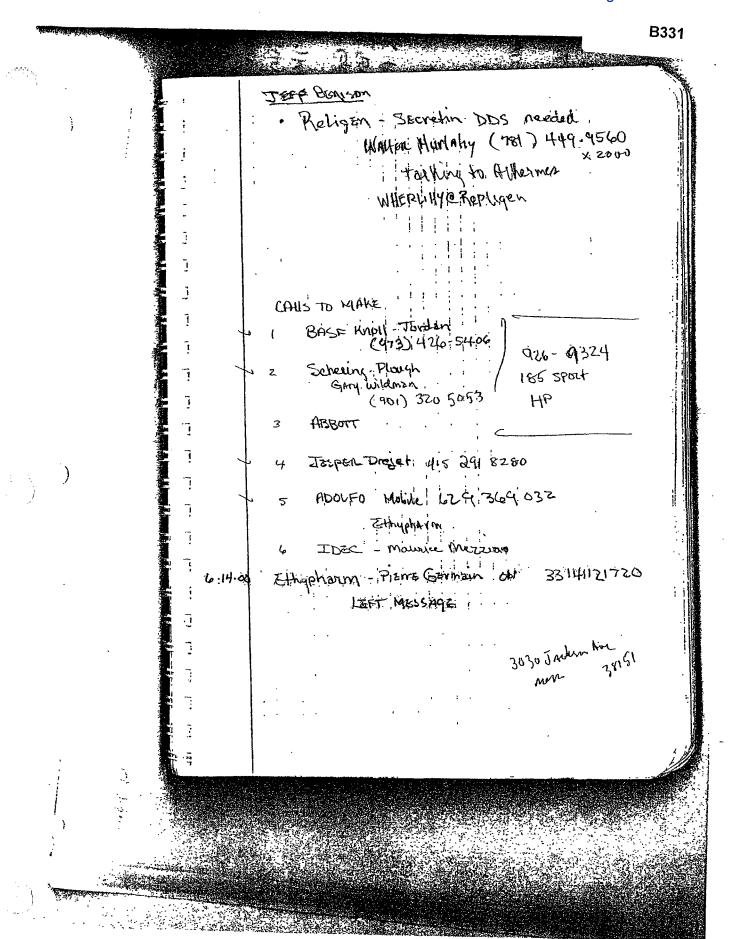


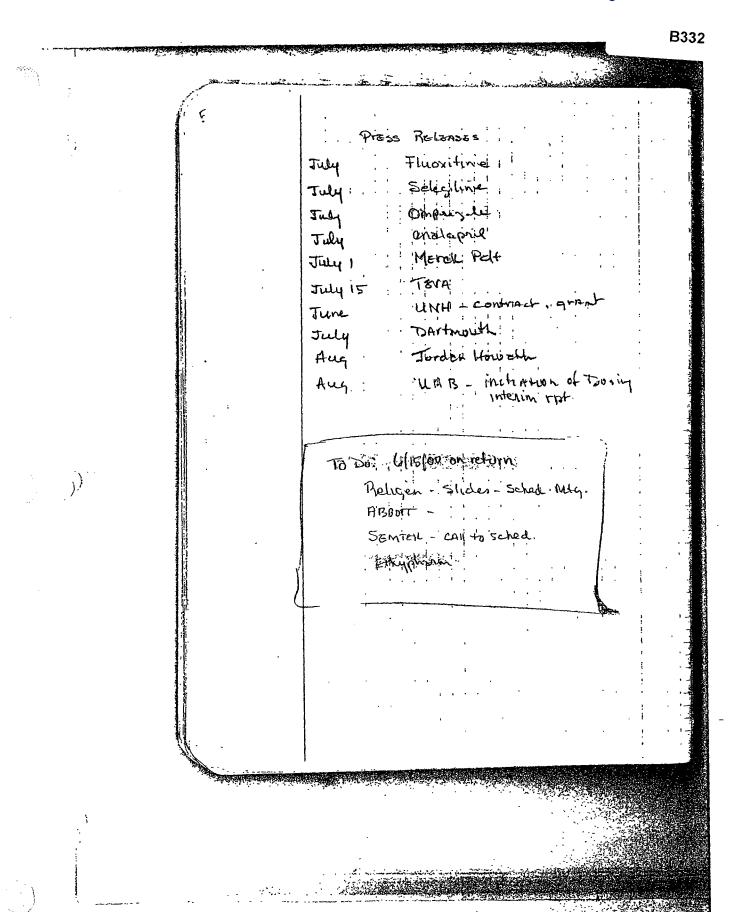


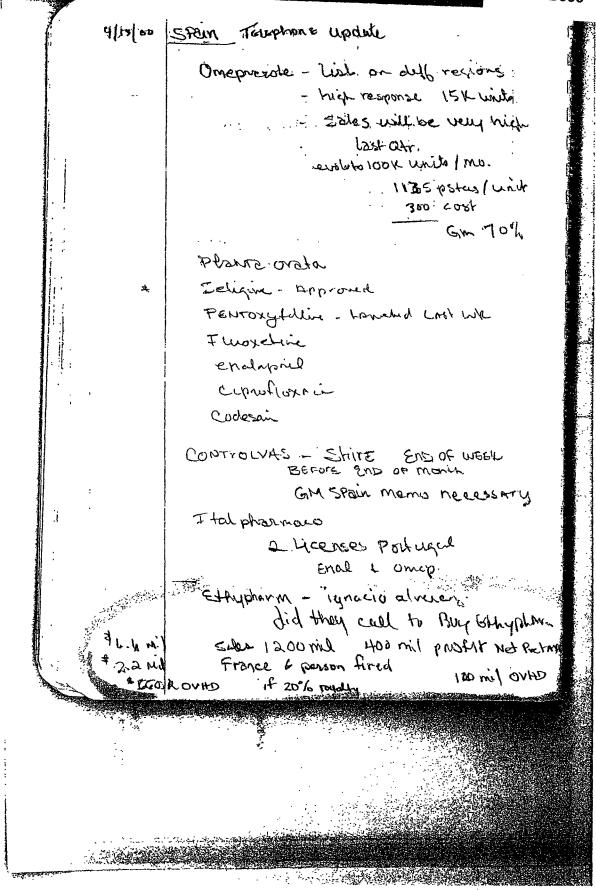
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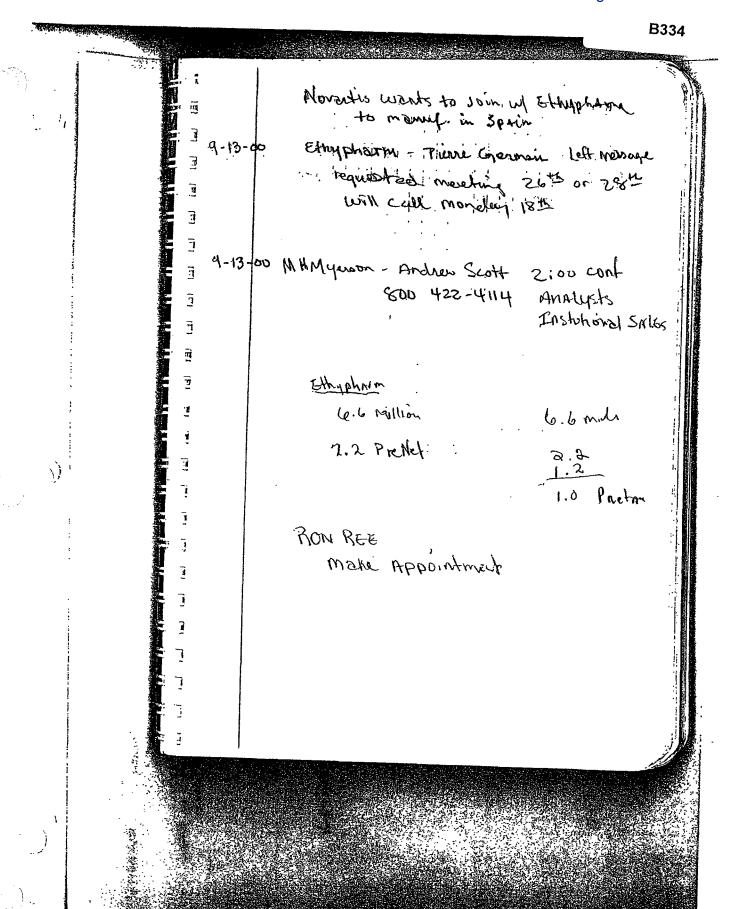




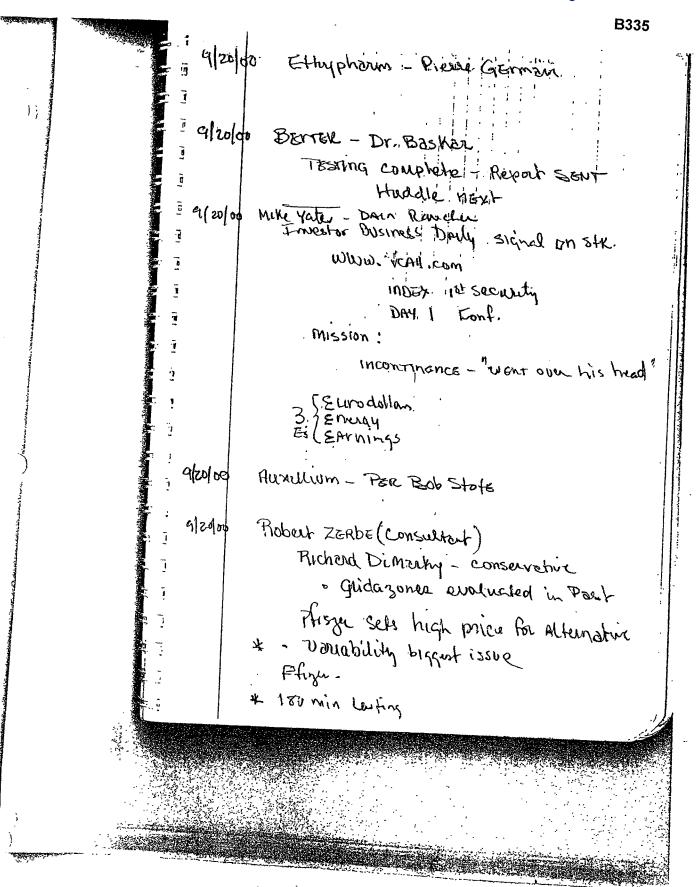


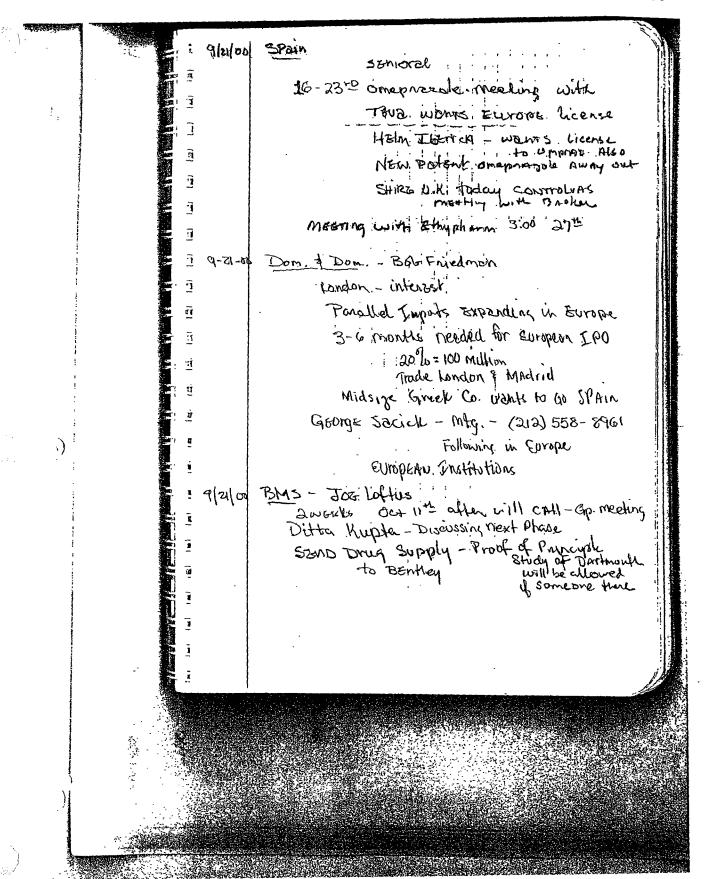


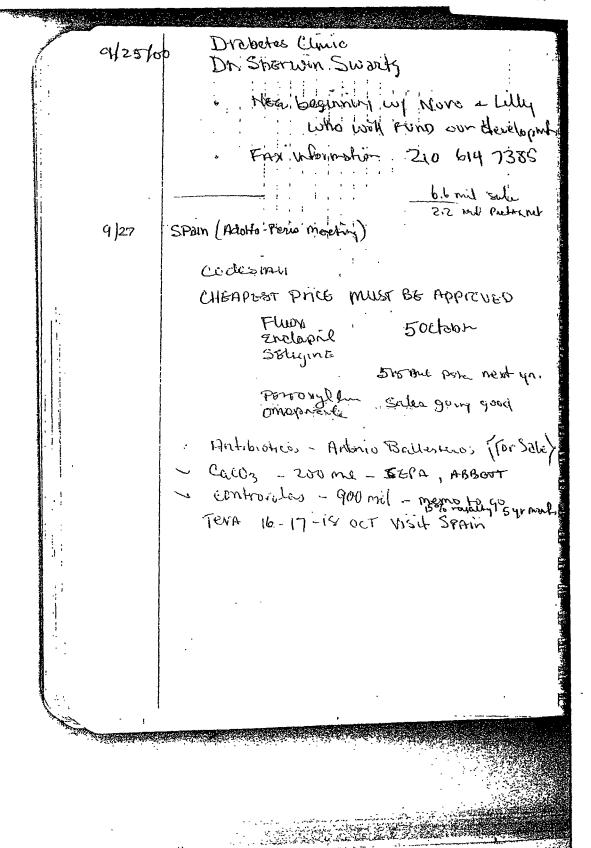


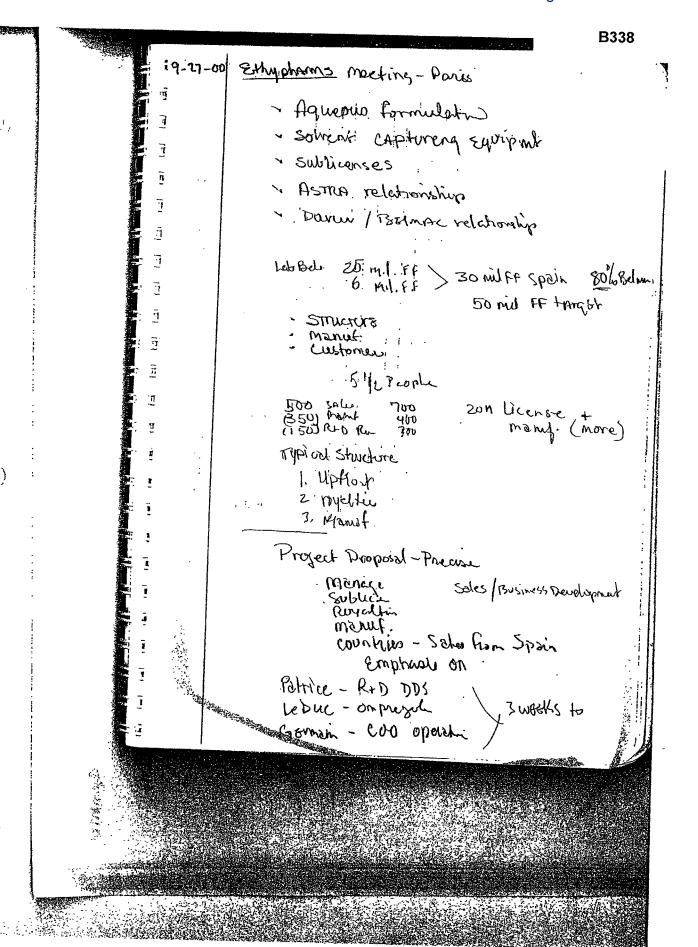


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To: Ph. Boudal Y. Liorzou P.Germain From: A. De Basilio 7 rages

Subject: Actions and observations on the "C.R. de la Réunion Éthypharm Espagne du 4-10-00"

### 1.- Document synthétique Belmac:

I'm sorry to tell you that I haven't been able to obtain a brochure from Belmac. Due to obvious secrecy obligation I can only work discretely very few moments a day. Since I have been travelling lately I asked first Chantal Igonet and then Belen Gil to obtain it from Belmac's commercial dept. They both tried with no success. The last answer we got was that this kind of documents have to receive the direct approval of the general manager to leave the company! What's inside? A nude almanac?! Or, is it perhaps and most because the direct approval of the general manager to leave the company! What's inside? A nude almanac?! Or, is it perhaps and most

Nevertheless I send you a brief I found in the net in their web page: <a href="https://www.belmac.com">www.belmac.com</a> and you can always count on me to give a short description to a group of people that you can organise whilst one of my visits to Paris.

### 2.- Données matières premières:

I already sent it to you which you confirmed last week in our phone conversation it is very condensed but I hope it is all clear. Should you need further data please let me know.

- 3.- Organigramme: this is no joke, the general manager in Belmac Spain told us this subject has to receive authorisation from Mr Murphy president of the company in the US!!

  The same as before: you will find a copy of what you can see in their web page, however we will prepare for you an organigramme trying to be as accurate as possible. I hope you realise how difficult for me is to information.
- 4.-Evaluation en fonction des différents produits et clients possibilité de se desengager de Belmac.
- As I explained to you manufacturing of different products in Belmac is linked in such a way that we use the dead periods in omeprazole's fabrications to manufacture in the mean time products of low profit in order to pay general costs. This has been analysed and quantified by E.Cailleret ask him for deatils. The margin of omeprazole will be affected if we remove one of these not so profitable products. Hence my recommendation is to leave this idea unless we either sell products and equipment to Belmac or we take manufacturing to our premises in France or we sell éthypharm Spain to someone else.
- 5.-Edition of CoA by Belmac: this point was already discussed during my last visit to St.Cloud and I confirm they can emit the CoAs under their heading and if the client prefers we can copy it and send the same certificate under our heading.
- 6.-Eurocompta contract: As I told E.Cailleret M.Sahonet will send it directly to you.

General considerations and focus on Annexe 2: "Schema de fonctionement Commande client"

Regarding the transfer of the operations fully to Belmac in my point of view after all these years you cannot clearly leave them on their own trusting that once you have emitted an order they will take care properly of all the different points. The "cahier des charges" will be kept safely in the archive and will be rarely utilised! A very close follow up has to be done as I.Alvarez performs right now.

As you know now we buy everything except tale powder and conditioning materials for expedition of goods. My recommendation is, specially if they buy the excipients, that someone has to call the factory daily or very regularly to check that there is enough stock, that dates are respected in the whole manufacturing process and specially the performance of the analytical trials to release the batches as well as the items described in red in annex 2. The good prices we obtain on raw materials and active principles

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will not be a major concern of Belmac, thus my advice is to continue buying these unless the margin in these products becomes secondary due to other priorities of éthypharm.

We have learnt how to work with them and they have proven to work a little bit better year by year but I sincerely recommend to make them understand that the "cahier des charges" is there to be respected. Don't trust them straight away. They will give their word saying they will do but they will provide very little written material accepting a compromise. Your faxes or e-mails will not be answered so a lot of phone calls will be needed.

phone cans will be needed.

This recommendation is made in the benefit of our clients. There is no use in blaming Belmac for not respecting the logistics and the time schedules. Our client will blame us so it's better to keep a tight surveillance. Some day perhaps they will learn but for the time being we get a lot of profit out of this manufacturing.

If you need any other help in the other points that you didn't ask or solve any doubts please get in touch with me preferably through the mobile phone 0034629152001. And let me know the result of your meeting and when are we going to meet again to know and analyse the next steps we have to take.

Adolfo de Basilio

19-10-00

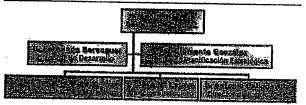
Laboratorios BELMAC S.A., nace en 1.991, cuando la Compañía norteamericana BELMAC Corporation "actualmente BENTLEY Pharmaceuticals" adquiere la empresa farmacéutica RIMAFAR, incluida la fábrica de la antigua INFAR-NATTERMAN en Zaragoza, así como su cartera de productos farmacéuticos clásicos, a los cuales se han ido incorporando otros de gran actualidad y potencial terapéutico. Las oficinas centrales están situadas en Madrid.

Desde su comienzo en 1.992, Laboratorios BELMAC, S.A. estableció su estrategia sobre tres ejes fundamentales:

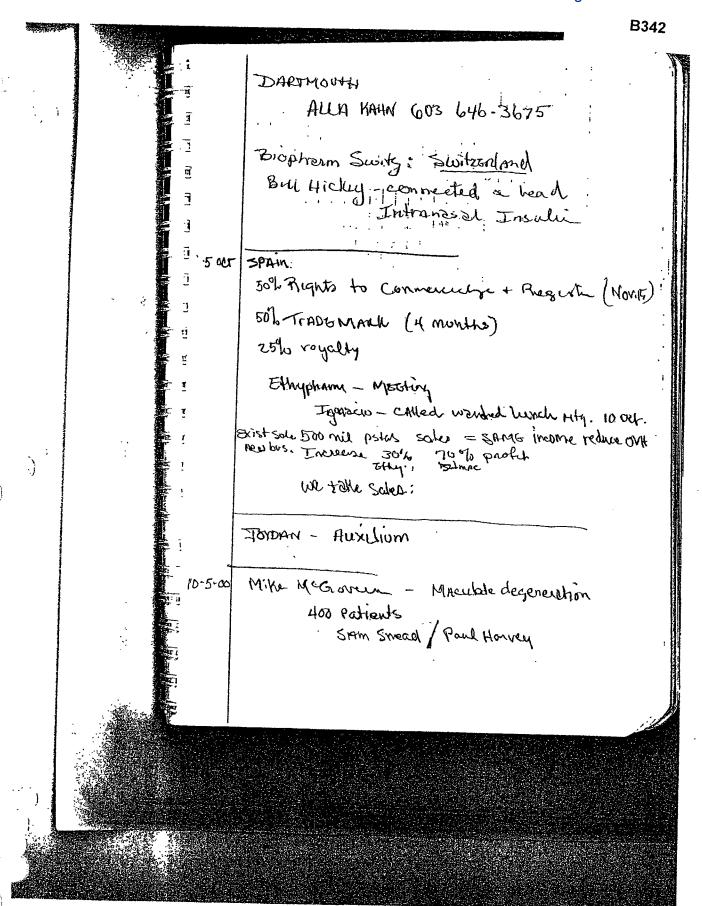
- Potenciar la fábrica de ZaragozaOptimizar la Organización Administrativa
- Diversificar la cartera de productos

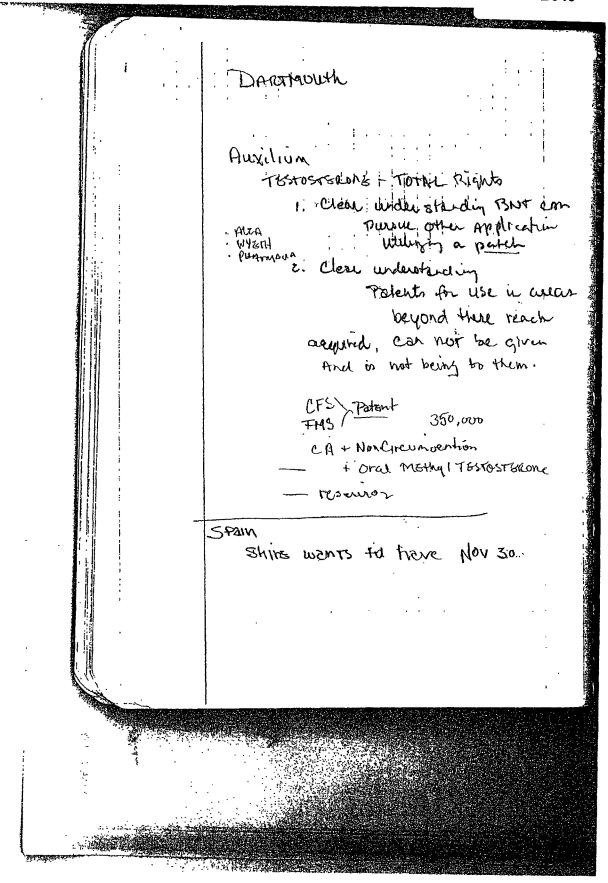
Para la obtención de estos tres objetivos básicos, ha sido necesario un gran esfuerzo del equipo humano que compone la compañía, así como un fuerte saneamiento financiero e importantes inversiones en activos fijos.

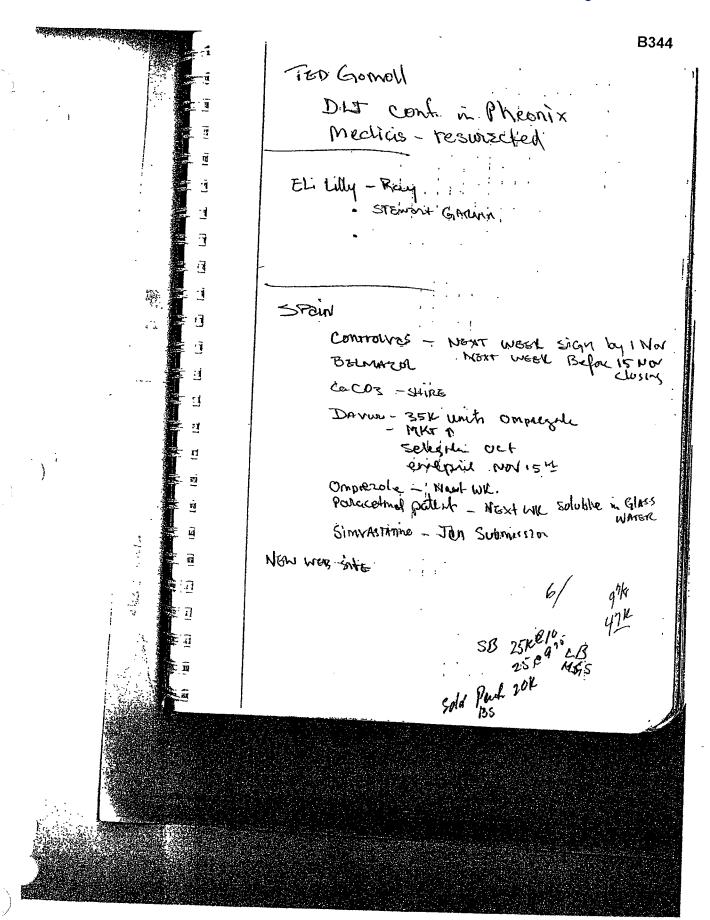
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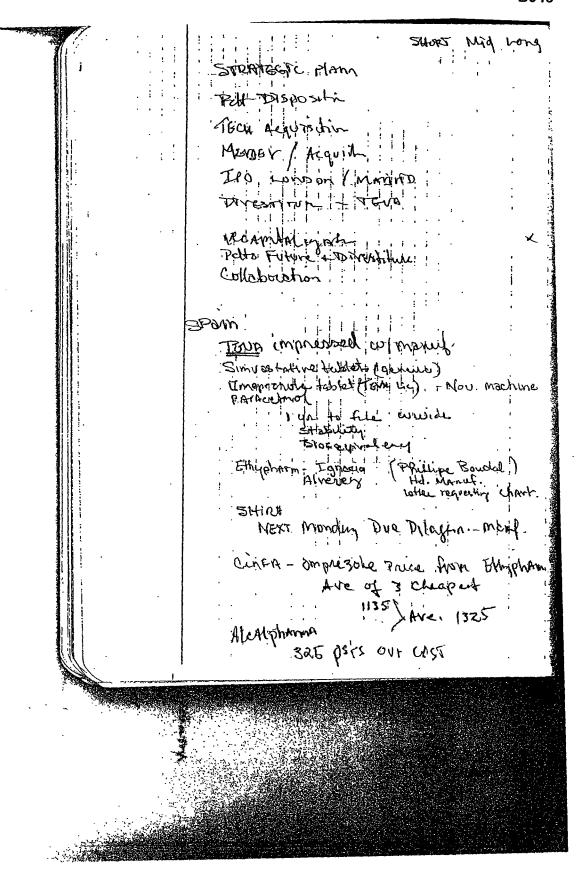


Igualmente se ha creado un equipo de profesionales cuya responsabilidad es la de renovar y ampliar la actual cartera de productos, con el fin de asegurar el futuro de la empresa.









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BENTLEY PHARM INC

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65 Lafayette Road

North Hampton, NH 03862

DATE:

October 6, 2000

PAX TIME:

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Pierre Germain

PHONE:

COMPANY: Ethypharm

FAX:

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FROM:

James R. Murphy

PRONE:

(603) 964-8006

Chairman & CEO

PAX:

(603) 964-6889

E-Mail: jmurphy@bentleypharm.com or jmurphy431@aol.com

SUBJECT: Bentley Pharmaceuticals Drug Delivery Technology

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Dear Pierre.

Thank you for spending time with me during my visit to Paris. I apologize for being tired, but with only 3 hours of sleep, I was not as enthusiastic as usual.

My thoughts for collaborating in Spain are as follows:

- 1. Bentley will assume the administrative oversight of the operation and guarantee Ethypharm income, through royalties equal in value to the current profit that Ethypharm is currently deriving from the Spanish organization.
- 2. Ethypharm will be in a better position because you will also receive the additional profit resulting from the elimination of expenses attributable to personnel, operations, and overhead.
- 3. Laboratorios Belmac will act on the behalf of Ethypharm to increase business through our business development and manufacturing groups. Lab. Belmac will bear the burden of personnel, overhead, expenses associated with the operation. The growth in new business above the current base business will be divided between our organizations with 30% of the net profit to Ethypharm and 70% to Lab. Belmac.

With regard to omeprazole opportunities utilizing the organic formulation or the aqueous formulation and either Lab. Belmac's registration or a new registration. I await a response from Mr. Gerard LeDuc and proposed dates for a meeting in the USA.

With respect to collaboration in Bentley's CPB-215 proprietary technology, I will be prepared to discuss during your visit to the USA.

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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF

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INC.

A meeting (the "Meeting") of the Board of Directors of Bentley Pharmaceuticals,
Inc. (the "Company") was held at 8:15 a.m. Eastern time on October 13, 2000 at the Company's corporate offices located at 65 Lafayette Road, 3rd Floor, North Hampton,

NH. The following Board members were present:

James R. Murphy Michael McGovern Robert M. Stote Michael D. Price Robert J. Gyurik Charles L. Boiling Russell Cleveland Miguel Fernandez William Packer

being all of the members of the Board.

Also present at the Meeting, at the request of the Company, was Jordan Horvath,
General Counsel of the Company.

Mr. Murphy acted as Chairman of the Meeting and Mr. Price, at the request of the Chairman, acted as Secretary of the Meeting.

Mr. Murphy called the meeting to order and indicated that the first item on the agenda was to approve the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on June 9,

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 $2000.\ \mbox{After}$  discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it

was

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on June 9, 2000 are hereby approved.

Mr. Murphy then asked Mr. Price to present a financial report and Mr. Price did so, reviewing the projected financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2000.

Discussion followed with respect to financial results, cash flows, future expectations and whether the Company should call its Class B .warrants for redemption. No action was taken at this time.

Mr. Price asked the Board to authorize the opening of a commercial bank account
in Spain which would accept U.S. dollars, for the purpose of creating a line of' credit that the Spanish subsidiary could access for working capital purposes, if necessary. After discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

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RESOLVED, that the officers of the Company

hereby authorized to open a commercial bank

spain.

Members of the Board suggested that a committee of the board be established, whose function it would be to evaluate specific opportunities to buy/sell products. After discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

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RESOLVED, that a Product Strategy Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company is hereby established and its membership shall be comprised of Messrs. Boiling, Packer, McGovern, Fernandez and Murphy, each to serve until the Company's next organizational meeting or the election and qualification

of

their respective successors

Mr. Murphy then nominated Mr. Horvath to serve as Vice President, General

made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

RESOLVED, that Jordan Horvath is hereby elected Vice President, General Counsel and Assistant Secretary

or

serve until the next organizational meeting of the Board

until election and qualification of his successor.

 $$\operatorname{Mr}$.$  Murphy informed the members of the Board that the transaction to acquire

 $\,$  Codeisan had been completed as had the strategic alliance with Teva. Mr. Murphy

reminded the members that the Teva documents include a provision giving Teva a Right

of First Refusal to acquire Laboratorios Davur in the event that the Company decides to

divest itself of this subsidiary. Mr. Murphy asked the members of the Board to ratify the  $\,$ 

terms of these two transactions and, after discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left($ 

and unanimously carded, it was

RESOLVED, that the acquisition of the product Codeisan and the terms of the strategic alliance with

Teva

Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. by the Company's subsidiaries in Spain are hereby ratified in all their

respects.

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Mr. Murphy then informed the members of the Board that Shire Pharmaceuticals
is interested in acquiring the Company's branded formulation of enalapril, Controlvas,
from Laboratorios Belmac S.A. for 950 million pesetas. After discussion, upon motion

duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

RESOLVED, that the Company's subsidiary, Laboratorios Belmac S.A. is hereby authorized to sell to Shire Pharmaceuticals all right, title and interest to

the

product Controlvas for 950 million pesetas.

Mr. Murphy then provided the members of the Board with an update with respect to ongoing negotiations, and summarized the terms from a term sheet that is being negotiated with Schering-Plough. Mr. Murphy asked the members of the Board to authorize him to enter into an agreement with Schering-Plough, and after discussion,

upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

RESOLVED, that the officers of the Company are hereby authorized to negotiate with and enter into an agreement with Schering-Plough along the lines of the terms outlined in the term sheet presented to the Board

of

Directors of the Company.

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Mr. Murphy informed the members of the Board that Mr. Horvath had elected to

receive a portion of his salary in the form of Company Common Stock and asked the

Board to authorize the listing of a sufficient number of shares of Common Stock to

accommodate Mr. Horvath's election in accordance with the terms of his employment

agreement. Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

> RESOLVED, that the officers of the Company are hereby authorized to file a listing application with the American Stock Exchange and include therein such number of shares of Common Stock as are set forth in his employment agreement with the Company to be issued to Mr. Horvath as a component of his salary and, upon such listing, to issue such shares to Mr. Horvath.

Mr. Price informed the members of the Board that the D  $\epsilon$  O insurance had been renewed for twelve months and that the premium for the \$5 million of coverage totaled \$85,000.

Mr. Price then provided a brief update of pending legal

issues:

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-Creative Technologies

Mr. Murphy then proposed that the Company continue to remunerate Mr. McGovem in his capacity of Vice Chairman at the same level as the prior year: options to purchase 25,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock each quarter, subject to shareholder approval of amendments to the Company's existing 1991 Stock Option Plan to increase the number of shares subject to the plan and extend its term and/or

November 14, 2000.

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shareholder approval of a new stock option plan. After discussion, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, it was

> RESOLVED, that the Company shall award to Mr. McGovern in his capacity as Vice-Chairman, options to purchase 25,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock at the beginning of each quarter of 2001, subject to shareholder approval of amendments to the Company's existing 1991 Stock Option Plan to increase the number

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shares subject to the plan and extend its term and/or shareholder approval of a new stock option plan.

Mr. Murphy then reviewed the proposal by Dominick and Dominick to offer investment-banking activities to the Company. Discussion followed; however, no action was taken.

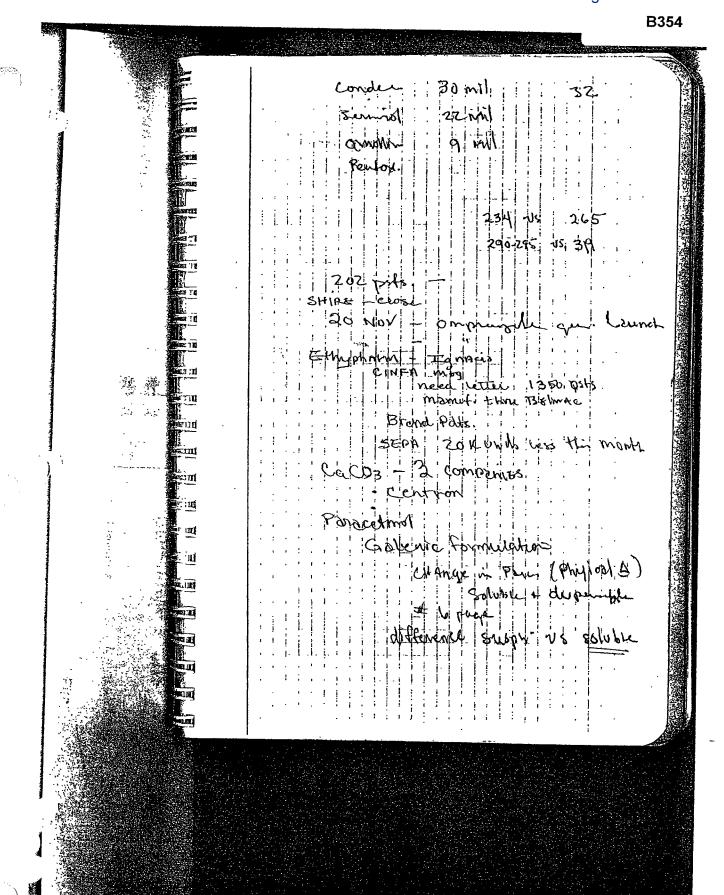
Mr. Murphy informed the members of the Board that the next regularly scheduled Board meeting would be held on January 22, 2001 (preliminary) in Tampa, Florida, with committee meetings scheduled for Sunday, January 21, 2001. The meeting was preliminarily scheduled for April 18-20, 2001 in Madrid, Spain and committee meetings were preliminarily scheduled to be held in Atlanta, GA on

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There being no further business to come before the Meeting, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the Meeting was adjourned.

D. Price, Secretary



From: Paul Fitzgibbons

Sent: Thu, 02 Nov 2000 17:28:11 GMT

To: Jordan Horvath

CC: BCC:

Subject: Project Status- 24 Oct

Jordan, attached is the latest project status from our Mgmt meeting last week. Please be mindful that it is strictly an "in house" report. I will ensure you get a copy in future. No meeting this week (thus far).

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